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Application No. 10/829,291 : DECISION ON PETITION
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Patentee(s): Masayasu Senda, et. al. :

This is a decision on the request under 37 CFR 3.81¹ filed on April 2, 2008, to correct the name of the assignee on the front page of the above patent by way of a certificate of correction.

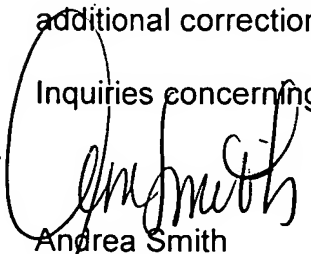
The petition is **dismissed**.

37 CFR 3.81(b) permits the patent to issue in the name of an assignee if the assignment was submitted after payment of the issue fee, but ***prior to issuance of a patent***.

Petitioner requests issuance of a Certificate of Correction in the name of "Dowa Electronics Materials Co., Ltd, Tokyo, JP and Nippon Bengara Kogyo Co., Ltd.". However, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office assignment records fail to show that an assignment listing the name of the assignee as "Dowa Electronics Materials Co., Ltd.", was submitted for recordation **prior to issuance of the above patent**. Therefore, a Certificate of Correction would not be in order.

This patent file is being referred to the Certificates of Correction Branch for review of the additional corrections requested in the Certificate of Correction filed April 2, 2008.

Inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.


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¹ See MPEP 1309, subsection II; and Official Gazette of June 22, 2004.